Department of Pesticide Regulation Environmental Justice Planning Advisory Workgroup

AGENDA October 5, 2006, 9:30 am to 3:30 pm

Regional Council of Rural Counties 801 12th Street (between H and I streets) 2nd Floor Conference Room Sacramento

Meeting objective: to develop implementation recommendations for two suggested strategic goals:

- 1. Ensure meaningful public participation and promote community capacity-building to allow communities to effectively participate in environmental decision-making processes.
- 2. Integrate environmental justice into the development, adoption, implementation, and enforcement of environmental laws, regulations, and policies.

Workgroup member preparation: bring implementation recommendations for the 2 suggested strategic goals

Facilitators: Joseph McIntyre, Sara Tickler, and Kara Vernor Meeting Chair: Veda Federighi

- 9:30 Welcome and introductions, approve minutes of September meeting
- 9:45 Decision-making in the Workgroup
 - Consensus: what it means
 - Alternatives to consensus
- 10:10 New suggested goals for DPR EJ strategy
 - New/integrated handling of cross-media coordination and accountability (Carl Winters, Martha Arguello)
 - New proposed goal on reduced exposure (Tracey Brieger, Carolina Simunovic)
- 11:10 Break
- 11:20 Small group development of suggested recommendations for strategic goals 1 and 2
- 12:20 Lunch
- 12:50 Presentation and discussion of small group suggestions for strategic goal 1: public participation

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1:50	Presentation and discussion of small group suggestions for strategic goal 2: integration of environmental justice
2:30	Break
2:40	Discussion of strategic goal 2 proposals continued
3:10	Recap of day and process evaluation to date
3:25	Meeting dates and locations for next meetings
3:30	Closing and Thanks